

as many articles as you can so as to reduce the number of persons with whom we may have to deal.

[Enclosure]

Breech Loading Rifles 200 @ \$35 (say)	\$ 8,000
Rifle Musket say 5000 maximum cost	75,000
Revolvers (belt) 500 @ \$20	10,000
Altering rifling 3000 muskets @ \$4	12,000
Cavalry Sabres 500 @ \$7	3,500
Cartridge boxes 8000 @ \$1.10 (say)	9,000
Waist belts & plates (rifle) 500 @ 50 cts	\$ 250
" " " (Musket) 8000 @ 49 cts	3,200
Bayonet scabbards 8000 @ 60 cts	480
Sword " " 1000 @ \$1.50	1,500
Cap pouches & picks 10,000 @ 50 cts	5,000
Sabre belt & plate 500	875
Pistol powder flasks 500 @ \$1.20	600
" ball pouches 500 @ 60 cts	300
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	\$137,705
Knapsack tents, gutta percha cloths—5000 @ \$3.00	15,000
Musket powder—400 bbl's of 100 lbs each @ 20 cts	8,000
Lead 300,000 lbs @ 8 cts say	25,000
Percussion caps 5,000,000 @ \$1.20 per M.	6,000
Cartridge papers, string	2,000
Batteries of rifled cannon with equipments 2—12 pieces, viz 4 of 6#—4 of 12# and 4, 24# howitzers	17,000
6# cartridges say 20,000 @ 15 cts	3,000
12# " " 10,000 @ 30 cts	3,000
#6 balls, 18,000 @ 30 cts	5,400
#12 balls, 8,000 @ 60 cts.	4,800
24# shells 4,000 @ \$1.20 (and fuzes)	4,800
Grape, 5000 rounds averaging 9# @ 5 cts say	2,500
Cannon powder 50 bbls of 100# @ 14 cts	700
Friction primers 70,000 @ 5 cts	3,500
Two Powder Magazines	4,000
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	\$242,405

The undersigned recommend the foregoing items of arms and munitions of war to be purchased by the Governor under the bill providing for arming the State. Approximate prices are annexed.

Raleigh, Jan. 12. 1861.

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